

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Following is a complete set of claims with deletions shown with strike throughs and additions shown by underlining:

1. (Previously Amended) A method of treating stroke in a human who has undergone a stroke at least three hours earlier, said method comprising delivering at least ~~6~~ [[2]] million viable hNT neuronal cells to a plurality of brain area sites involved in the stroke.
2. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising the step of using a twist drill or a burr to provide entry through the skull through which the cells can be delivered into the brain.
3. (Canceled)
4. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the stroke has taken place at least three months earlier.

Claims 5-6 (canceled)

7. (Previously Amended) A method of improving speech in a person who has experienced brain damage due to a stroke which interferes with speech, said method comprising injecting a sterile composition of at least ~~6~~ [[2]] million hNT neuronal cells into a plurality of brain sites.
8. (Canceled)
9. (Canceled)
10. (Presently Amended) A method of improving motor performance in a person who has experienced brain damage due to a stroke which interferes with movement, said method comprising injecting a sterile composition of at least ~~6~~ [[2]] million hNT neuronal cells into a plurality of sites of the brain.
11. (Canceled)
12. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 10, wherein the injected hNT neuronal cells are a sterile composition of hNT human neuronal cells.
13. (Previously Amended) A method of improving cognition in a person who has experienced stroke-induced brain damage which interferes with cognition, said method

comprising delivering a sterile composition of at least 6 [[2]] million hNT neuronal cells into a plurality of sites of the brain.

14. (Presently Amended) A method of improving sensory function in a person who has experienced stroke-induced brain damage which interferes with sensation, said method comprising delivering a sterile composition of at least 6 [[2]] million hNT neuronal cells to a plurality of sites of the central nervous system or to the cerebral spinal fluid.

15. (Presently Amended) A method of improving sensory, motor or cognitive function in a person who has experienced brain damage due to a stroke which interferes with those functions, said method comprising delivering a sterile composition of at least 6 [[2]] million hNT neuronal cells into a plurality of locations from which the hNT neuronal cells migrate to the damaged area.

16. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 14, comprising delivering the composition into the cisternae.

17. (Presently amended) A method of replacing in a human's nervous system nerves lost to a stroke, the method comprising administering to the human a sterile composition of at least 6 [[2]] million hNT neuronal cells to a plurality of sites in the brain.

18. (Canceled)

19. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 15 wherein the cells concomitantly administered with the hNT neuronal cells are neural stem cells, HCN-1 cells, fetal non-human mammalian cells, neural crest cells or a combination thereof.